

1994-95	Rs. 66,26,53,498/-
1995-96	Rs. 1,30,32,87,057/-
1996-97 (Upto 31.8.96)	Rs. 60,21,94,075-

Homoeopathic Centre at Hyderabad

4670. SHRI B. DHARMA BIKSHAM : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any scheme for improving and strengthening the Post Graduate Centre in Homoeopathy at Hyderabad;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the amount granted so far for the purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERVANI) : (a) to (c) The Central Government is not aware of an institute by the name of Post Graduate Centre in Homoeopathy at Hyderabad. However, J.S.P.S. Government Homoeopathy Medical College, Hyderabad was sanctioned a sum of Rs. 15.53 Lakh in 1992-93 to upgrade the departments to start P.G. Course in Homoeopathy.

New Bridges in Assam

4671. SHRI KESHAB MAHANTA : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proposals for construction of new bridges on National Highways in Assam pending with the Government for approval; and

(b) the action being taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI T.G. VENKATRAMAN) : (a) and (b) Preliminary investigations for the construction of bridge No. 350/2 on National Highway No. 52, have been completed and the work included in the Annual Plan (1996-97) at an estimated cost of Rs. 4.00 crores.

Involvement of Security Forces in Smuggling

4672. SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI NAVINCHANDRA MEHTA : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the involvement of security forces in smuggling of goods trade in Manipur has been detected;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the preventive steps taken by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI N.V.N. SOMU) : (a) No such case involving the army has come to the notice of the Government.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Whenever a case of involvement of army personnel in smuggling is detected, it is dealt with in accordance with law.

Just How Healthy are our Hospitals

4673. SHRI JAI PRAKASH (HARDOI) : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the news item captioned "Just how healthy are our hospitals" appearing in 'The Hindu Metro magazine' dated August 28, 1996;

(b) if so, the facts of the matter reported therein; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERVANI) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Adequate services are being provided in Government Hospitals. The functioning of the hospitals are constantly under review of the concerned Government/ local body and facilities are upgraded within the available resources from time to time. Steps are taken to fill up vacancies of various categories of posts. Measures are being taken for segregation and proper disposal of hospitals waste.

The Central Government have already constituted a technical committee under the chairmanship of Director General of Health Services to consider and report inter-alia on the referral system and coordination amongst hospitals.

Admission in KVs in Delhi

4674. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR: SHRI RAMESHWAR PATIDAR:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of admission other than regulations, made during current session in different Kendriya Vidyalayas in Delhi;

(b) whether these admissions are in violation of stay order imposed by Delhi High Court;